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Applicant: D. Krah Attorney Docket No.: KTW0122671  
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Filed: April 20, 2004 Examiner: J.A. Shriver II  
Title: KLOP SKATE HAVING PUSHING AND PULLING CAPABILITIES

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed on July 6, 2005.

Currently, Claims 29-35 and 37-41 are pending in the application. The Office Action states this application contains claims directed to the following patentably distinct species of the claimed invention: Species I, shown in Figure 12, and Species II shown in Figure 13.

Applicant is required under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted if no generic claim is finally held allowable.

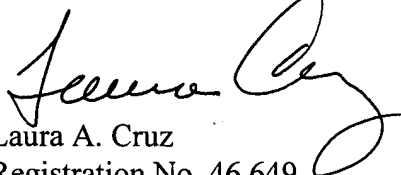
Applicant elects without traverse the species shown in Figure 12. Claims 29, 35, and 37-41 read on the elected species. Claim 35 is generic.

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